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BERLIN ADMITS FRENCH VICTORY ON NEW ITALIAN FRONT

GOVERNOR PINKHAM GIVES GUARD FINDINGS AT INSTANT OF OFFICERS WHO MADE PRIE

Board Members Resent Statement Given By Gen. Johnson—Complete Document Shows Number of Dr. Criticisms and Significant Sidelights Passed Over in Adjutant-General's Summary Given Press

Declaring that they will not stand for an apparent attempt to "whitewash" flaws of the national guard camp and its commander, Brig.-Gen. S. I. Johnson, members of the board which investigated Kailua camp conditions, with the full assent of Governor Pinkham, today made it possible for the Star-Bulletin to publish herewith the complete report of the board.

Governor Pinkham made the document public in a letter this morning in which he held that the entire report was proper for publication.

Gen. Johnson, in furnishing to the Star-Bulletin Saturday what he declared to be as much as was proper for publication, gave a purported summary of such portions as did not relate, he said, to criticism of officers.

Comparison of the summary by Gen. Johnson with the complete report secured today shows that many drastic criticisms made by the investigating board are not included in the Johnson statement.

Gen. Johnson declared that strict military regulations prevented him from making the entire document public. The Star-Bulletin is furnished with a copy of a letter from the governor to the board, dated December 29, which the governor closed by saying:

"Should you desire publicity to give these documents you are at liberty to use such channels as you choose."

It was the publication of the Johnson statement on Saturday which caused the stand taken by the investigating board that the complete report should be published in the interest of truth, fairness and justice to the taxpayers and the people of the territory. It is held that the Johnson statement has "tongued down" some of the most vigorous criticism, and has, in effect, concealed the entire document at the instance of the board, the governor has now given the full report to the public.

One of the interesting things revealed today is in relation to the criticism of Gen. Johnson for attending the three months' course of intensive training at the officers' training camp. In this connection the following is from the complete report but was not included in the summary furnished the Star-Bulletin by Gen. Johnson:

"The board finds that the brigade commander was officially relieved from his duties as a training camp student on or about November 9, 1917, for the specific purpose of assuming command of Camp Lillooehalani, and notwithstanding the fact that he was relieved from his training camp duties, he continued to participate in the activities thereof."

"From the testimony given by qualified officers, we find that the camp commander was derelict in his duties and that it was not proper for him to attend the training camp under the circumstances."

This is but one of several instances (Continued on Page Two)

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

	Today	Yesterday
Alaska Gold	13 1/2	13 1/2
American Smelter	78 1/2	78 1/2
American Sugar Rfg.	98 1/2	98 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	109 1/2	109 1/2
Anaconda Copper	61 1/2	59
Atchafalca	85 1/2	84 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	58 1/2	57 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	53	52 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	78 1/2	77 1/2
Call. Petroleum	47 1/2	47 1/2
Canadian Pacific	138 1/2	138 1/2
C. & N. P. (St. Paul)	46 1/2	47
Coke, Fuel & Iron	38 1/2	38 1/2
Crescent Steel	53 1/2	52 1/2
Cuban Cane	27 1/2	26 1/2
Erie Common	17 1/2	17 1/2
General Electric	132 1/2	127 1/2
General Motors, New	104 1/2	100 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	89 1/2	89 1/2
Inter. Marv. N. J.	32 1/2	31 1/2
Kennecott Copper	56 1/2	57 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	75 1/2	75 1/2
New York Central	47 1/2	47 1/2
Pennsylvania	47 1/2	47 1/2
Ray Consol.	23 1/2	22 1/2
Reading Common	72 1/2	72 1/2
Southern Pacific	83 1/2	83 1/2
Studebaker	49 1/2	49 1/2
Texas Oil	139	134 1/2
Union Pacific	115 1/2	114 1/2
U. S. Steel	90 1/2	88 1/2
Utah	81 1/2	78 1/2
Western Union	84	83 1/2
Westinghouse	40 1/2	40 1/2

Sugar Bags Cost 24 Cents Each; Freight Boosted \$65 a Ton

Castle & Cooke, agents of the T. K. K., announce that they are just in receipt of advices from the Toyo Kisen Kaisha to the effect that the Calcutta Steamship lines operating between Calcutta and Hongkong had recently reached an agreement with the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha on a through freight rate from Calcutta to Honolulu on sugar bags of \$100 per ton of 40 cubic feet measurement, for January, February and March, 1918, shipment, this new rate being an advance over the present rate of \$65 per ton.

RODIEK AS AFRICAN BURNED GERMAN PAPERS WHEN U. S. DECLARED WAR

FORMER GERMAN CONSUL HERE ADMITS ACTS BEFORE COURT WHEN APPEARING AS GOVERNMENT WITNESS IN SAN FRANCISCO—HE DECLARED HACKFELD'S ADVANCED MONEY AND PROVISIONS MAVERICK—BILLS PAID HERE BY GERMAN SEC. AGENT "K-17"—SCHROEDER OBEYED ORDERS RODIEK

George Rodiek, an American citizen acting on instructions from his German superiors, destroyed all official documents of the Honolulu German consulate when the United States declared war on Germany, according to Rodiek's own admission before Judge Van Fleet on December 21, when Rodiek, appearing as a government witness in the Hindu conspiracy case in San Francisco, related in connection with the movements of the "mystery" ship Mervic in Hawaiian waters.

Rodiek, who pleaded guilty in the Hindu conspiracy trial, directly connected the "San Francisco" consulate with the movements of the "mystery" ships, Maverick and Annie Larsen, in his testimony. He admitted that he had received instructions in code to provision the "Maverick" at Hilo and said that money and provisions to the amount of \$5000 were provided the Maverick by Hackfeld & Co. The Maverick's bills were paid here by the German secret agent, "K-17," known as Kirchheim, who was a quartermaster on the S. S. China as revealed by the diary of Captain Grasshoff of the German gunboat Geier.

A summary of Rodiek's testimony as given by the San Francisco Chronicle follows:

"George Rodiek, managing director of H. Hackfeld & Co. of Honolulu and former German consul in the Hawaiian Islands, yesterday directly connected the San Francisco German consulate with the movements of the 'mystery' ships, Maverick and Annie Larsen as a witness in the German-Hindu revolt trial."

"Rodiek, who has entered a plea of guilty with his secretary, H. R. Schroeder, took the stand as a government witness and in his story named the San Francisco German consulate as the directing power behind the movements of the Maverick and Annie Larsen, while Franz Bopp and E. H. von Schack, former San Francisco consular officials for Germany, glovered at him from seats behind their attorneys."

"Rodiek, an American citizen, first learned of the Maverick and Annie Larsen, which played stellar roles in the plot to overthrow British rule in India, charged to German intrigue, in June, 1915, he said. He received during that month, the witness said, a letter written in a secret German code from San Francisco. This message, the witness presumed, came from the German consulate here because of the code. In this message he was informed, Rodiek testified, that the Maverick had sailed to meet the Annie Larsen at Socorro island and would appear at Hilo, outside the three-mile limit. He was instructed to provision the vessel."

Cablegram Shows Cargo
"A cablegram from San Francisco signed 'Consulate' later revealed the cargo of the Annie Larsen to be arms and ammunition, Rodiek said, and directed that after being provisioned the Maverick proceed to Socorro island, where she would meet the Annie Larsen, take on the latter's cargo of munitions, and proceed to Batavia, to await further orders."

"While Captain Heinrich Belbo, a defendant on trial, sought to find the Maverick outside the three-mile limit in a sloop, the Maverick arrived in the harbor. Rodiek testified he sent Schroeder, secretary of the Honolulu

WHARVES ORDERED GUARDED

Corporations, Not Government, Charged With Keeping Alien Enemies 100 Yards Away From Piers; Huber Gets Copy of Order From Naval Bureau

13. An alien enemy shall not approach or be found within 100 yards of any wharf, pier or dock used directly or by means of lighters by any vessel or vessels of over 500 tons gross engaged in foreign or domestic trade other than fishing nor within 100 yards of any warehouse, shed, elevator, railroad terminal, storage or transfer facility adjacent to or operated in connection with any such wharf, pier or dock, and wherever the distance between any two of such wharves, piers or docks, measured along the shore line connecting them is less than 280 yards, an alien enemy shall not approach or be found within 100 yards of such shore line. Section 15, of President Wilson's proclamation.

Alien enemies are now barred from entering into zones within 100 yards of any wharf, pier, dock, canal or other vital waterway in the territory of Hawaii. They are also barred from entering zones within 100 yards of warehouses or other buildings adjoining or adjacent to these wharves and piers.

In other words, alien enemies in Hawaii must stay away from all wharves, docks and water fronts. All permits which may have been issued giving alien enemies the right to enter piers and docks are revoked.

With the receipt this morning of a copy of the president's proclamation imposing these restrictions on alien enemies District Attorney S. C. Huber announced that its provisions become effective here immediately.

The copy of the president's proclamation did not come to Mr. Huber directly.

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LATE NEWS AT A GLANCE

HUBER DUBTS IF RODIEK COMMITTED CRIME AGAINST U. S. BY BURNING GERMAN DOCUMENTS

Commenting this afternoon on the story published in today's issue of the Star-Bulletin to the effect that George Rodiek destroyed documents and other papers of the local German consulate on the day America declared war on Germany, District Attorney S. C. Huber declared he would conduct an investigation to see if the facts are presented to him. But as far as he can be a present, he added, there appears to be no grounds upon which to be a prosecution.

JAPANESE KILLED, THREE INJURED, IN AIEA EXPLOSION

As the result of the breaking of a steam pipe at the Honolulu Sugar Co.'s mill at Aiea this morning one Japanese is dead and three others are in the hospital, badly lacerated, but will probably live.

TRUCKS CUT OFF FROM APPROACH TO JERUSALEM

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 31.—Following their capture of Jerusalem and the defeat of the Turkish forces, the British now have four strong positions between the city and Jerusalem instead of the one previously existing. A sea-military advance has been scored northwest to Jerusalem.

COUNTRY CLUB LIKELY TO DROP RODIEK

Unless a satisfactory answer is filed by George Rodiek, he will be dropped from a roll of the Oahu Country Club on next Sunday. This is the end of the day period which the bylaws require must be given a member before he is expelled after charges have been filed against him. The charges were filed Saturday as an aftermath of Rodiek's plea of guilty in the Hindu conspiracy trial.

EX-POLICE REPORTER NOW "GENTLEMAN" DETECTIVE

"Gentleman Detective" is now the title of Norman Caum, former Star-Bulletin police reporter, who was engaged at noon today by Sheriff Charles H. Rose to work for the Chief of Detectives Arthur McDuffie. Sheriff Rose stated yesterday before the board of supervisors that he was in search of a man who could make a good appearance in society. Caum applied today and was accepted.

COURT APPOINTMENTS WILL HINGE ON AMERICANISM

Every corporation or organization will have to prove itself "chemically pure American" before it can be appointed as administrator, trustee, or guardian, or to direct any other legal work, Circuit Judge Ashford announced this afternoon. The judge added that each corporation will be "put through its paces" so that the court may be thoroughly satisfied of its Americanism before making appointments.

LOCAL ATTORNEYS TO ACT AS DRAFT ADVISORS

Every member of the Hawaiian Bar Association is to be asked to "do his bit" as adviser to men called by the draft, and Circuit Judge Ashford and Attorneys William T. Rawlins and W. W. Thayer are meeting this afternoon to organize a program for the part local lawyers will play. It is now planned to appoint two committees of three attorneys for the fourth district and similar committees for the fifth district. "Every attorney will be asked to state his trick," says Judge Ashford.

DAWSON CITY, YUK., DEC. 31.—ALASKA IS IN THE MIDST OF UNUSUAL COLD

The record cold spell has continued for a month. From the mouth of the Pelly river and up the Yukon it is reported that the thermometer has dropped to 86 degrees below zero.

At White Horse it is below, at Dawson 50, and for a month past has ranged from 50 to 60 below. The hospital is crowded with pneumonia patients and 18 deaths have resulted. The weather is so cold that no funerals can be held.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Doubly will speak to the women workers of the Red Cross in the Capitol at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. A woman who has been doing Red Cross work are asked to attend.

In the case of the territory against F. G. Correa, a land matter, the judgment of the district magistrate of Makawao, holding that the land in question be restored to the territory, has been affirmed in a decision handed down by the supreme court.

California Solon Bent on Solving Land Problem Here

That the members of the congressional party which visited Honolulu in November are bearing in mind the land problems of Hawaii was learned in a letter received today by Fred J. Halton, secretary of the Hawaii promotion committee from J. A. Elston, representative from California.

Mr. Elston writes that he recently saw Dr. Elwood Mead, professor of irrigation at the University of California and father of the California land settlement bill, and had arranged with him to meet the other members of the party.

"I am sure," says Mr. Elston, "that his views will be of benefit to them in making up their minds on the island's land question. You will see from this that we have carried away with us a deep interest in your welfare."

BRITISH SOLDIERS REGAIN LOST SOIL

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 31.—British counter attacks in Cambrai region today regained important territory on Welsh ridge, taken yesterday by the Germans.

HARBOR BOARD TO BAR CIVILIANS FROM THE ENTIRE WATERFRONT

Irrespective of the president's proclamation providing for the protection of American ports the harbor commissioners have decided to establish a guard for the Honolulu water front as soon as the necessary rules can be drawn up, he approved by the commissioners and published for the required time in the newspapers, after which they will have the full force of law.

This decision was generally decided upon at an informal meeting of the harbor commissioners held at James Wakefield's office Saturday afternoon, at which the representatives of the various shipping companies were present.

The new rules for entrance to the territorial wharves will prohibit any one entering who has not secured a pass. They may also require all pedestrians on streets along the water front at nighttime to keep on the sidewalk.

Discussing the proposed water front rules this morning, Commissioner Norman Watkins said:

"Rules will be promulgated which will forbid all people from territorial wharves, unless they have business there, (and such persons with business on the wharves will be required to obtain passes before they may attend to their water front duties."

Aviators of Britain Win

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.)
LONDON, Eng., Dec. 31.—Five German airplanes were destroyed and put out of action in a battle Saturday on the British front. The British won the battle without losing a machine.

LIVES LOST IN QUAKE SMALL; DAMAGE HEAVY

NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 31.—According to the first official advices received by the Guatemalan consul here, the material damage from the Guatemala earthquake is heavy, but the loss of life small.

? Who Is He ?

THE FACTS: The Honolulu postoffice received a letter addressed as follows: "Mr. Bus (Post) No. 1 of Whole Plantations, Hawaii." It was promptly put into one of the boxes.

THE QUESTION: Whose box? Who is classed as Boss No. 1 of Whole Plantations?

THE ANSWER: Will be published by the Star-Bulletin in a few days. Meantime, this paper will be glad to receive answers to the question and will publish them. You need not sign your name.

Address: Star-Bulletin, editorial department.

SMASHING ASSAULT SUCCEEDS IN TAKING POSITIONS FROM TEUTONS, CAPTURING TROOPS

Britain Indicates Serious Answer Will be Returned When Germans Show Good Faith by Making Bona Fide Peace Proposition

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.)
BERLIN, Germany, Dec. 31.—The general staff announced today that the French offensive in northern Italy has penetrated the Austro-German positions at Monte Tomba.

ROME, Italy, Dec. 31.—The French troops which have reinforced the Italians today began a smashing attack on the wide front between Osteri di Monferrato and Marankine. Many positions of importance were wrested from the enemy, which at this point are mostly Austrian troops, and the French took 1400 prisoners, 16 machine guns and seven cannons.

VIENNA, Austria, Dec. 31.—Counter measures to meet the new French attack have been prepared in the Monte Tomba district.

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 31.—The Manchester Guardian in a significant article today says that it is the intention of the British government to return a serious and reasoned reply when the Austro-German terms for peace have been presented and the good faith of the enemy is proved.

Premier Lloyd George has arranged a visit to France to meet Premier Clemenceau.

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 31.—Evidence to show that Germany managed the Bolshevik revolt against the Kerensky government and revealing the hand of Berlin intrigues in the sensational cabinet upsets is published in the London Times from its Petrograd correspondent. This correspondent in his letter also purports to substantiate the view that the Bolshevik movement is anti-national and anti-Russian.

The correspondent of the Daily News says that the "Bolshevik" movement is extremely efficient, energetic and decisive. It is facing the noisy opposition from the privileged classes and seeking to check it by sabotage and by libel based on force. The people may not like the situation thus developed, but they obey with alacrity. "Any attempt to turn out the Bolsheviks by force will result only in anarchy favorable to the Germans. It is unbelievable also that such a force is now available."

DAVIES BUYS PROPERTY FOR NEW BUILDING

Acquisition of Hendrick Site at Merchant and Alakea Gives Purchaser Entire Block

After negotiations extending over several months the Theo. H. Davies Co., Ltd., has finally purchased the Hendrick property at the corner of Merchant and Alakea streets, now occupied by Smoot & Steinhauser. The consideration is not given out, but it is said to be a good price for business property.

The deal was practically closed last summer, but the sudden death of H. E. Hendrick in California delayed the closing of the transaction until last Saturday. The sale was made through the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co.

The Davies company now owns the entire block bounded by Merchant, Alakea, Queen and Bishop streets, and eventually plans to erect a building which will occupy the whole square, thus making it possible to house all the departments of the firm under one roof.

L. C. Mullgardt, California architect, is now employed drawing up the plans and specifications for the new building.

Just how soon the Davies company will let the contract for the construction of the building is not known as yet, according to E. H. Wodehouse, managing director. It will probably be two months before the plans and specifications are finished and received here, he says. When the directors of the company get them they will then decide if it is feasible to erect the building called for. The plans of the building now under consideration call for four stories with the main entrance at the corner of Merchant and Bishop street and it is said that the architect's first feature will be somewhat different than that planned.

WINNING IN PALESTINE

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Wireless.)
LONDON, Eng., Dec. 31.—Fresh progress is reported by General Allenby to the north and the northeast of Jerusalem. A strong resistance was offered by the Turks but they were overcome and forced to retire, evacuating Ribeh which was immediately occupied by the British forces.

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 27.—Sugar: 56 deg. test, 5.00 cents. Previous quotation, 4.95 cents.

TUESDAY'S POSTOFFICE SCHEDULE

Slam, general delivery, regular and parcel post divisions will be open from 8 to 10 a. m.

Money order division closed all day.

Inclosing mail for express and carrier delivery will be distributed.

Instant mail and registered mail.